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Our Case No. 8285-465

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Adams

Serial No.: 09/747,741

Filed: December 22, 2000

For: Method and System for
Calling Line Authentication

Group Art Unit: 2131

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please enter the following amendments prior to examination.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the following paragraphs. Appendix A (at Tab A) includes marked-up
copies of these paragraphs showing the changes being made.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No. 8285/465
Serial No. 09/747,741	Filing Date December 22, 2000	Examiner	Group Art Unit 2131
Inventor(s) THOMAS ADAMS			
Title of Invention METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CALLING LINE AUTHENTICATION			

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Transmitted herewith is Preliminary Amendment (5 pages) with Attached Appendix A (2 pages) and Attached Appendix B (1 page); Postcard Receipt.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.

- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ Petition for a _____ month extension of time.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.
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Small Entity					Other Than Small Entity	
Rate	Add'l Fee				Rate	Add'l Fee
x \$9 =					x \$18 =	
x 42 =					x \$84 =	
+ \$140 =					+ \$280 =	
Total add'l fee	\$				Total add'l fee	\$

Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra
Total	Minus	
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First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim		

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Respectfully submitted,

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